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"PEACE" SPEECH DELAYS SENATE WORK ON TAX

Washington, Aug. 29.—Chairman Stone of the senate foreign relations committee, interrupted the war tax debate today in the senate with a peace speech. He denied he ever had a thought of introducing a peace resolution and crtiicised newspapers for imputing such a motive.

Because he recently submitted a letter on peace from Amos Pinchot and others of alleged pacifist organizations, Senator Stone said he had been violently attacked in newspapers and pictured as a "slacker, German sympathizer and even a German spy."

The Missouri senator delivered his speech in vigorous fashion. He said the "storm" against him started merely from presentation of a peace pact from "humble, representative Americans."

The charge that he is a German sympathizer was said by Senator Stone to be "too ludicrous for specific deniel." He said he had not a drop of German blood and that his English ancestery is clearer than the British king's.

ARREST TWO OKLAHOMANS AFTER MYSTERIOUS DEATH OF WOMAN

Konawa, Ok., Aug. 29.—Dr. A. H. Yates, prominent physician of Konawa, and Fred O'Neil, a school teacher, also of this city, are held in the county jail at Wewoka on charges of murder in connection with the death of pretty 18-year-old Elsie Stone, also a school teacher, following an autopsy held last Sunday morning in the cemetery at Seminole, where the girl's body was buried. The accused men will be arraigned in justice court at Seminole tomorrow.

According to County Attorney A. G. Nichols, of Seminole county, information implicating both Yates and O'Neil in responsibility for the girl's death is in his possession. He declares that the girl was placed in the office of Dr. Yates here, where she remained four days before being removed to her home. Her death shortly thereafter was attributed to a "congestive chill."

O'Neil and Miss Stone taught school at a Seminole county district all last winter. Acording to County Attorney Nichols, the autopsy revealed that the girl would have become a mother in four months. Yates and O'Neil are both married and have families.

ARGENTINA NOW WILL STAY NEUTRAL

Washington, Aug. 29.—Any hope that may have been felt here that Argentina would eventually support the Allied nations in the war against Germany has been dissipated as the result of the German government's success in satisfying the demands of the Buenos Aires foreign office in connection with the sinking of the Argentine sailing raft, Toro.

The German government's agreement to pay indemnities for ships sunk and its promise not to destroy other ships under the Argentine flag, caused Secretary Lansing to point out today that the Imperial German government has made a greater promise to the United States and then broken it. Examination of the facts indicates that Germany will not be embarrassed by keeping her latest promise, because Argentina has no merchant marine engaged in Transatlantic trade. The whole controversy has impressed officials here as being very hollow and the result is viewed as a distinct point scored for Germany. Its only effect will be to ensure the neutrality of the South American country whose importance is exceeded by none, unless it be Brazil.

IMPEACHMENT GOES OVER TO TODAY

Austin, Texas, Aug. 29.—After a short session this morning the senate adjourned the high court for the trial of James E. Ferguson on impeachment charges until 10 o'clock tomorrow morning.

This was because there was no one present who could, under the rules, swear in the senate as a high court.

By motion it was decided to seek Chief Justice Nelson Phillips of the supreme court, who now is at Milford Texas, by long distance telephone and ask him to hurry to Austin in time for tomorrow's session.

The first step after organization tomorrow will be the presentation by Mr. Ferguson of an answer to the charges against him. His counsel refused today to say whether this answer will take the form of a demurrer or a motion to quash. It was generally reported, however, that it would be a demurrer, in which case there would come a vote of the high court to decide whether it should be sustained or overruled.

Many members today held that this vote would in no sense be a test. President Pro Tem Lon A. Smith said that in his opinion only a majority vote wold be necessary to sustain or overrule a demurrer.

If sustained the impeachment proceedings would be brought to a sudden end. This is regarded as altogether unlikely by Mr. Smith and others.

This morning's proceedings toward impeachment consumed less than half an hour. Senator John H. Bailey reported that the committee on procedure having yesterday arranged by rule that the senate must be sworn in by a justice of the supreme court or a justice of the court of civil appeals, it would be necessary to amend the rules or adjourn until morning as there were no judges of these courts in the city.

A motion was made to call a judge of the criminal ourt of appeals, but this was withdrawn on a suggestion that the importance of the proceedings demanded the presence of a higher official of the courts. A motion was then made and carried that Chief Justice Phillips be summoned from Milford.

It was provided that in case Judge Phillips ould not come, Associate Justice Hawkins, now at Amarillo, would be summoned.

FINNS CLASH WITH RUSSIAN ARMED FORCES

London, Aug. 29.—Serious rioting at Bjorneborg, Finland, is reported by the Central News. It is said fighting between Finns and soldiers of the Russian garrison lasted for several hours an dthat a number of persons were killed or wounded.

This is the day set for reassembling of the Finish landtag in defiance of the dissolution order of the provisional Russsian government. In his address at the opening of the Moscow conference Premier Kerensky gave warning that the government would prevent by force, reopening of the diet and carrying out the plan for separation of Finland from Russia.

TROOPS MOVING TO FT. WORTH CAMP

Fort Worth, Aug. 29.—The first big movement of Oklahomans and Texans to Camp Bowie is under way. A company of Oklahoma engineers who have been quarantined at Ardmore by smallpox arrived in a special train. Eighty other carloads of infantry are due from points in Oklahoma and several train loads of Texans are en route.

THE WEATHER

East and West Texas—Thursday and Friday, fair.

HOBBY CALLS THE LEGISLATURE ON THREE MEASURES

Austin, Aug. 29.—Information was received here that Chief Justice Nelson Phillips of the supreme court would arrive in Austin tomorrow morning to swear the members of the senate as a court to hear the charges presented against Governor Ferguson by the House. The rules provide that this must be done by a justice of the supreme court of civil appeals, none of whom were in town today.

The special session of the legislature, during which the impeachment proceedings are going on, expires by limitation tomorrow. This afternoon Acting Governor Hobby called another session to start Friday, ensuring the life of the trial. Three subjects are contained in the governor's call: pink boll worm legislation; relief of the drouth sufferers in western Texas and a soldiers' moratorium bill.

REAL WINTER COMES IN COLORADO; MAN RESCUED; SNOWING

Denver, Aug. 29.—Winter settled down in two sections of Colorado Tuesday, according to reports received here. Snow falling intermittently in the mountains near Ouray since Aug. 10, reached that town today.

Rescuers reached Estes park with George Furman of Loveland, Colo., who became lost on a peak near there Sunday and suffered considerably from cold before help reached him.

ASSERTS U. S. WILL WIN WAR IN THE NEXT YEAR

Austin, Aug. 29.—Congressman J. Thomas Heflin of Alabama, in Austin by invitation of the Texas legislature to address that body in joint session tonight, said in an interview today that America will win the war within the next year.

"The stand of the Belgians, the battle of the Marne and the entrance of the United States into the war were the three decisive peaks of the conflict which will make the German military forces see the united strength of the democratic nations of the world," declared the distinguished Alabaman. He asserted that enthusiasm for the war is spreading over the country and that everybody in Washington sees the righteousness of the cause of America, and is strongly confident of victory.

Congressman Heflin, recognized as one of the foremost experts on the cotton situation, said the crop would be short in Alabama this year as well as in other southern states. In his opinion the greatest fight which producers have now is against the pink boll worm, working its way north from Mexico.

PEACE PLAN OF POPE NOT THAT OF UNITED STATES

Washington, Aug. 29.—Telegrams from all parts of the country began to pour into the White Houes today approving President Wilson's reply to Pope Benedict's peace proposals.

Washington, Aug. 29.—Upon motion of Senator Brady, who characterized it a last farewell to the autocracy of the world, President Wilson's reply to the pope's peace proposals was ordered printed today in the Congressional Record.

"While it rejects the pope's proposals," he said, "it points the way for the other nations to reach a peace in a fair and honorable manner."

RUSSIAN COWARDS NEED GOOD DOSE BLOOD AND IRON

The disaffection in the Russian army, which resulted in the forced evacuation of the greater part of Galicia and Bukowina by loyal troops, apparently has not been eradicated although the stiffening in the Russian defensive in Galicia, Bukowina and Rumania recently had indicated that the Russians would make no more voluntary retrograde movements.

Following Teutonic reports of the falling back of the Russians in eastern Bukowina toward the Bessarabian frontier, comes the news that disloyal to the colors some Russian troops in southern Moldavia, from Fokshani northward, have quit their trenches and fled in disorder.

Berlin Tells About It.

The Berlin war office says the Russians suffered heavily in killed and in wounded, nearly 1000 men were taken prisoners and three guns and 50 machine guns were captured, in addition to giving up splendid vantage points guarding the approaches to the Sereth river, the crossing of which by the enemy, taken in connection with the invasion of Moldavia, will undoubtedly result in disaster to all Moldavia and also be of valuable assistance to the Teutonic allies in their advance toward the territory in the bend of the Danube river.

Meanwhile M. Kerensky, the Russian premier, has reiterated to the closing session of the conference at Moscow the determination of the provisional government to protect the results achieved by the revolution and declared that no counter revolutionary attempts would be countenanced.

The continuation of stormy weather is still holding up major operations in France and Belgium.

Italians at Standstill.

Hard fighting is in progress between the Italians and Austrians on the Bainsizza plateau and on the heights around Gorizia. In the former sector the Austrians are defending tenaciously a powerful fortified line to which the Italians have come within striking distance. More than 1000 additional prisoners and numbers of machine guns have been taken by the Italians. To the south, on the Carso plateau, the heavy fighting of last week has given way to artillery duels and patrol encounters.

STRAINS OF NATIONAL ANTHEM DROWN PACIFIST'S VOICE

Fargo, N. D., Aug. 29.—After repeated attempts to make himself heard above the strains of "The Star-Spangled Banner," sung by a portion of his audience, Dr. Max Eastman, editor and former Columbia professor, was compelled to abandon his address at a meeting here last night under the auspices of the People's Peace Council.

Soldiers and homeguards then turned the meeting into a patriotic demonstration.

SOUTHERN PORTS TO BE EXPORT POINTS

Washington, Aug. 29.—Diversion to Gulf or South Atlantic ports of virtually all movements of food stuffs destined for export to Europe is planned as a government war measure to relieve congestion of railroads and ports in the east.

New Orleans, Savanah, Charleston and Port Arthur are the ports that will be made the chief loading points. The plan is being worked out by the shipping board in cooperation with shippers, ship owners and port authorities. The shipping board will soon announce the appointment of a traffic dictator who will have charge of the administration of the arrangements.

GERMANY DEMANDS OPTION ON DUTCH SHIPS

Washington, August 29.—The Netherlands government has decided to accede to the demand of the German government that Dutch ships repaired with German steel shall be devoted to German use for a period covering five years after the close of the war. In supplying Holland's requirements for steel Germany made this condition and stipulated that if German steel was used in construction of new vessels Holland would give Germany an option on their use after the war in case any tonnage was not needed in the Dutch trade. The latter part of the subject is of negligible importance as Holland is sure to require all her ships in her own trade.

SUBS AND MINES GET FEW MORE ENGLISH SHIPS

London, Aug. 29.—An increase in the nmber of British merchant vessels sunk by mines or subs last week is shown by the admiralty statement issued this evening. There were 18 vesels of 1600 tons or over sent down, compared with 15 the previous week, and five of less than 1600 tons as against three the week before. No fishing vessels were sunk, the report says.

SENATE SLOWLY COMING ACROSS ON WAR TAXES

Washington, Aug. 29.—The climax of the Senate contest over the war tax bill was reached today by disposing of the publishers' tax provision and the opening of the long-expected debate on the war profits tax. Outstanding developments of today were as follows:

A petition for cloture, signed by 50 senators, to limit debate on the bill and force an early passage, was presented by Senator Simmons, in charge of the bill. The vote on cloture however cannot be taken under the rules before Friday.

Increase of the bill's levy on war profits from $562,000,000 to $1,060,000,000 was proposed in an amendment presented by Senator Simmons for a maority of the committee, designed as a preventive of more radical increase propositions. The Senate made changes in the bill which include almost doubling the levy on war profits proposed by the committee, bringing the total to $2,522,470,000.

Provision for a five per cent special income tax on publishers, to raise $7,500,000, was stricken from the bill without a roll call.

WOULD MAKE U. S. DESTROYER FLEET WORLD'S GREATEST

Washington, Aug. 29.—President Wilson approved today the estimates of the Navy department for the expenditure of an additional $350,000,000 for new destroyers to combat German submarines. The project will be laid before Congress immediately by Secretary Daniels.

Power will be sought to expend $225,000,000 of the total appropriation on the construction or purchase and expansion of engine and shipbuilding plants to provide the facilities needed. The present capacity of the ountry is engaged fully on contracts already given out. To reach new labor centers where there are skilled men able to do the work quickly, indications are that new engine plants would be placed at interior points. The department has never published the number of destroyers now building or the additional number completed. It is known, however, that when the vessels are all completed, which will be in 1918, the navy will have a destroyer force comparable to that of any great power while new vessels projected would give the United States the greatest destroyer flotilla in the world.

EUROPEAN DIPLOMACY ASTONISHED BY WILSON'S PROMPTNESS

Washington, Aug. 29.—Discussion of President Wilson's rejection of the Pope's peace proposals in diplomatic circles today revealed that even the officials of some of the Entente governments were unprepared for the prompt fashion in which the President disposed of the matter of such tremendous importance. There has been no shadow of doubt as to the general nature of the reply and the understanding is that United States was generally looked on as the nation to speak first, but some of the allied foreign officers, accustomed to long delayed moves in diplomacy, regarded exchanges that had been going on between them and our capital as being barely completed. They had rather expected a further use of time in the dispatch of the note of reply.

Had Good Reasons

It is realized by the Entente representatives in Washington that President Wilson must have had good and sufficient reasons for acting so quickly. Speculation ascribes his motive to a desire to impress favorably the great Russian conference at Moscow, while it was still in a plastic and receptive state. It was also suggested that the President might have wished to anticipate by his remarkable state paper, obstructive activity by the pacifist element in an dout of the Congress of United States.

German Howl Expected

No rejoinder from the Vatican is expected here in the immediate future. Comment from the press of Europe, including that of Germany and Austria, is awaited with much interest. Bitter attacks on the American note by the German press and possibly condemnatory speeches by German officials are fully expected when the President's reply is finally allowed to leak through the censors to the German press and public. While Germany may wage the war with additional desperation because of the sweeping indictment drawn by the President against her government, nevertheless it is confidently believed here that the spirit of revolt will develop steadily and it is hoped rapidly among the people of Germany, bringing nearer the day when they will assert themselves to the point where President Wilson would feel safe in listening to peace ovrtures from the German people themselves and not from their overlords and military despots.

President Wilson's answer was made in the face of objections that have come from some quarters to what might be urged as a disposition on his part to impose a form of government on Germany. It may be positively stated that nothing is further from his thought than such a disposition.

MANY MINES ADRIFT OFF COAST OF NORWAY

Copenhagen, Aug. 29.—Steamships arriving from Bergen report hundreds of drifting mines off the Norwegian coasts. It is believed that an extensive field is adrift. Many mines also are reported off the northern coast of Norway and the Arctic ocean.

U. S. ARMY MEDICAL BRANCH TO BE GIVEN CONFISCATED BOOZE

Sioux City, Iowa, Aug. 29.—Thousands of gallons of alcohol and whisky seized in raids here since Iowa went dry will go into the medical department of the army.

The liquor has been ordered shipped to the supply depot at St. Louis.

RED CROSS MEMBERS NOW NUMBER OVVER 3,500,000.

Washington, Aug. 29.—Membership of the American Red Cross has reached the 3,500,000 mark and is increasing at the rate of 25,000 to 100,000 a day, according to an announcement today. At the beginning of the year the total was 275,000.

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Local News

W. D. Ward, the night ticket agent at the union depot, has resigned his place and will go to New Orleans in order to accept a position in the city ticket office of the Gulf Coast Line Company. Nobody has yet been named to succeed him here.

Mr. and Mrs. Ollie Jack are entertaining a fine boy at their home in Anita Park.

While bollworms and bollweevils have not yet done any damage to speak of a good many farmers say that the frequent rains are proving disastrous by making the cotton shed and the rank bolls rot.

J. H. Dodson received a letter yesterday from T. W. Riggin, who moved to Haskell county three years ago. He wrote that everything was burned up out there and that he was coming back and wanted a place to pick cotton.

A citizen of Paris in speaking yesterday of President Wilson's answer to the pope's peace proposal said that Woodrow had the world skinned when it came to statesmanship and the writing of state papers.

An old resident expressed the opinion yesterday that the backbone of summer was broken, but a good many warm days in September will in all probability be experienced yet.

Sam Houston Lodge Knights of Pythis is figuring on putting on the "Humbug Circus," partly by local talent. It has not been fully decided yet, but the decision will be reached at the meeting next Tuesday night.

Pine creek was out in the bottom yesterday afternoon from the heavy rain Tuesday night.

A. J. Richey says that he picked up a metal plate number 593 that was dropped from an automobile on Fourteenth street, the first house north of Graham street.

A citizen of Paris just back from Mineral Wells in an automobile said that he couldn't keep in the road on account of constantly having to turn out to pass around wagons loaded with movers back from the drouth stricken country.

The Lamar County Teachers' institute will open on the 10th of September and a good program has been arranged, a new feature of which will be that the institute will be conducted b yan outsider, Dr. Charles Evans, president of Henry Kendall College at Tulsa, Ok. County Supt. J. A. Fulks has mailed a program to all of the rural teachers, and if any of them failed to get a copy he will send another if they will write to him.

E. R. Goar went to Paris this week to assist in installing the new machinery of the compress now under erection at that place.—Clarksville Times.

W. R. Allen of the Allen Land company reports the sale last week o fthe W. A. Taylor farm near town to J. F. Kuykendall of Paris. This farm contains 200 acres and was sold for $2,100.—Clarksville Times.

The first negro to enlist in the navy at Paris was recruited Tuesday and was sent down to Dallas for examination. He enlisted as mess attendant, which is the only place open for them. He passed there and left at once for Norfolk, Va., where he will attend an instruction school for three months before being put into service.

The Graham school building is expected to be completed about the 20th of September, but may be a few days later.

Some time ago Jim Lusby received some watermelon seed from his brother, W. K. Lusby, living at Austin. He planted the seed and has some of the most peculiar melons ever shown here. Some of them are solid yellow, some part yellow while still others are marked with small yellow spots. He hopes to have some on display at the fair.

John Passee, alias Cannon Ball, a negro about forty years old, who is wanted at Bismark, Ok., on the charge of introducing and selling whisky, was arrested by Constable Ed Bell and deputy, Odus Parks, in Paris yesterday.

Backus B. Hubbard, colored, charged with theft of $20 from a guest at a hotel last Sunday morning, was released on bond yesterday. He took a $20 bill to a place of business on the plaza and told the proprietor that the hotel had sent him to get in changed.

There are thirty-one prisoners in the county jail at present including Mrs. Annie Taylor, charged with poisoning her husband, who has been unable to make bond. On account of the leaky condition of the women's ward of the jail she was moved to the county farm yesterday afternoon.

Ex-Constable Bob Glover of Deport, who was seriously stabbed in a difficulty last Sunday, was reported to be getting along well yesterday. Instead of the difficulty occurring on Cuthand creek, as first reported, it is said to have taken place north of Detroit about three miles from Woodland.

Roxton has already received several bales of cotton this season. There were six bales received Tuesday.

A complaint was sworn out yesterday against a negro, Mitch Wilhite, living south of town, charging him with carrying a pistol. He is the negro who was shot by a negro woman about a month ago. It was thought at the time that the wound would prove fatal.

FOUL CRIME RECALLED BY GOVERNOR'S PARDON

On the day before he was suspended from office through the institution of impeachment proceedings Governor Ferguson issued a large number of pardons to convicts in the penitentiary, many of whom had been sent up for grave offenses. Among the number pardoned was a man named Ingram who was convicted of a foul murder in Milam county. Readers of The News will be able to recall the killing as an account of it was published in The News at the time. The victim of the murder was Leonard Ward, a son of Bud Ward a prominent farmer near Detroit, who is well known inParis. Leonard Ward was living at Cameron and his wife confessed after the murder that she and Ingram had conspired for him to kill her husband so that they could live together. According to the testimony it was one of the foulest and most cold-blooded murders ever committed in the state. The jury sentenced Ingram to sixty-three years in the penitentiary. He was convicted of the crime about two years ago.

THEFT NEAR CAVINESS REPORTED TO SHERIFF

A valuable horse belonging to H. L. Morris, a farmer who lives near Caviness, was stolen from the pasture Tuesday night. There were several head of horses in the pasture and the thief rounded them up in a bunch in the fence corner and caught one of them. A fence post was pulled out of the ground and the wire lifted high enough to lead the horse out, after which the post was planted back in the ground in order to not attract attention to the fact that the pasture had been entered until the thief could get away. The theft was committed after the rain which fell after midnight, as the tracks had not been obliterated. Mr. Morris discovered that the horse was missing at 2 o'clock in the afternoon and notified Sheriff Clarkson, who wired officers at different points and sent out cards.

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NO SCARCITY OF COTTON PICKERS EXPECTED

It has been reported among the farmers that there is a kind of an agreement among the negro cotton-pickers around Paris not to open cotton picking for less than $1.50 per hundred. It is conceded that with the big price for cotton and cottonseed and the increased cost of living the farmers will have to pay more for picking than they have been accustomed to pay in years past, but there is no probability that the negro cotton pickers will be able to enforce their demands, although as the season advances the farmers always pay more than at the beginning.

On account of the drought in other parts of the state people will flock into Lamar and other counties in this section to pick and there will be no scarcity of pickers. Phil E. Baer, ticket agent of the Texas & Pacific, who went to Dallas Tuesday, said farmers at Forney told him four hundred pickers had been brought to that place from Travis and Williamson counties to pick. Any number of pickers can be secured, it is said, by paying their railroad fare, and as heretofore stated, the roads from the west are lined with people moving in this direction hunting for cotton picking and other jobs.

A PETTY MAN VICTIMIZED BY OKLAHOMA NEGROES

A well known farmer living near Petty, who says that he has 125 acres of cotton which will be ready to begin picking next week, went over to Oklahoma Tuesday to engage some pickers in advance. He secured a bunch of eight or ten negroes around Fort Towson and bought tickets for them to Paris, advancing their fare out of his pocket. He also advanced them loans of money, letting one have as much as $10 and another $7.50, while others struck him for small advances. The cotton pickers deserted the farmer along the road, dropping off the train at different points, and when he reached Paris only two of them were left.

The two remaining negroes, a man and a woman, gave him the dodge after reaching here, one of them starting off in one direction and the other in another direction as soon as they stepped off the train. The farmer reported to the police the way he had been victimized and the officers went in search of the negroes. They found the woman at another negro woman's house. The farmer had advanced her $2, which she had invested in a pair of shoes.

When the farmer got after her about jumping him and wanted to know if she was going to the farm to pick she said she didn't know whether she wanted to pick or not as long as the rest of the crowd had deserted, leaving her alone, but that if she should decide that she didn't want to pick she would give him the pair of shoes back.

A LARGE ESTATE BEING DIVIDED NEAR ROXTON

The land belonging to the estate of the late G. D. Terrell near Roxton, which has been held together since his death nine years ago until the youngest child would become of age, is being divided up this week according to agreement between the heirs. The estate consists of a little more than six hundred acres of the finest land in Lamar county and the heirs among whom it is being divided are the widow and three sons of the deceased. County Surveyor J. W. Crook, who has been running off the partition lines, says that he saw one cotton patch of fifty acres in the farm that will make a bale to the acre, and which was a johnson grass pasture last year. The johnson grass was killed and the stumps were blown up with dynamite and the ground put in cultivation since last year.

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ARRESTED ON CHARGE ASSAULT TO MURDER

Ben Morse was arrested Tuesday evening and was lodged in jail on two complaints, one of which charges him with assault to murder and the other with bootlegging. The alleged assault to murder is said to have been committed some time ago, but the person who claimed to have been assaulted didn't report it to theofficers at the time. Ben Morse is the individual who was shot in a wagon-yard on Bonham street a few months ago by a young man who had married his niece, and the wound was thought to have been fatal, but after lingering several weeks he recovered.

THE TEXAS & PACIFIC LET OUT OF THE SUIT

All of the insurance company suits against the railroad companies growing out of the big fire which occurred a year ago last March have been dismissed as to the Texas & Pacific railroad company. There are 105 of the suits and in them all the railroads running into and out of Paris were made defendants with the exception of the Paris & Mt. Pleasant road. At the last term of court one of the cases was tried and resulted in a hung jury. Five of the cases are set for trial next Monday, Sept. 3rd, and the case of B. L. Billingsley is the first on call.

BENEFIT PERFORMANCE FOR PARIS BATTERY

The management of the Grand announces that 50 per cent of all the money taken in at the Grand this afternoon and tonight will be given to the Paris Battery to be used as mess funds. This will be a great help to the boys at Camp Logan as they are in need of money. All loyal citizens in Paris should visit the Grand either this afternoon or tonight and see the splendid program ofiered at this place of amusement at the same time help our boys who will leave soon to help defend Old Glory.

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We're the highest price market for produce because we are car-lot shippers. Small and large amounts receive the same prompt attention. 21 years in North Texas.
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Millinery Announcement

The management of The La-Vogue Fashion Shop has secured the services of MISS K. GRIFFIN, a former Texas girl, but of rare ability and Eastern training, direct from the Eastern market. She will be glad to meet the ladies of Paris and surrounding county to present to them the most gorgeous display of Millinery Showing.

Just arriving from the New York market—distinctiveness and individuality for each and every lady is OUR MOTTO.

Our Emporium of leading styles is always suggestive of Newest creations.

La Vogue Fashion Shop

I. W. Rummel, Prop

The Lamar Cotton Oil Co.

(NEW OIL MILL)

ADVISES THE FOLLOWING

Daily Ration For Horses At Work

AMOUNT PER 1000 POUNDS LIVE WEIGHT. MEASURES MAY BE POUNDS, TONS OR BUSHELS.

RATION NO. 1.
10 measures oats or
8 measures shelled corn with
1 measure Cotton Seed Meal
Give 3 quarts to 1 gallon at a feed.

RATION NO. 2.
1 measure Cotton Seed Meal with
4 measures corn and
5 measures oats.
Give 3 quarts to 1 gallon at a feed.

RATION NO. 3.
Mix 3 measures Cotton Seed Hulls with
1 measure Cotton Seed Meal
When well mixed combine
2 measures Meal and Hulls
3 measures oats
3 measures corn.
Give 1½ to 2 gallons at feed

RATION NO. 4.
5 measures Cotton Seed Meal
8 measures molasses
16 measures rice bran
5 pounds or 1½ gallons at a feed.

With any of these rations, feed roughness; prairie hay, wheat or oat straw, about 12 pounds at a feed.

Remember, Cotton Seed Meal is rich in Protein and not as much is necessary at a feed, as is necessary to get the same feed element when corn or oats, alone are used.

If at first the horse does not take to the Cotton Seed feed, he will come around to it, will relish it and will prove the feed is excellent.

Citation by Publication.

The State of Texas, to the Sheriff or any Constable of Lamar county, greeting: You are hereby commanded, that by making publication of this citation in some newspaper published in the county of Lamar, for four successive weeks previous to the return day hereof you summons E. L. LeCompte, whose residence is unknown to be and appear before the Hon. County Court, in and for the county of Lamar at the next regular term thereof, to be holden in the county of Lamar at the court house thereof in Paris on the third Monday of November, being the 19th day of the said month A. D. 1917. The number of said cause being 3295 then and there to answer the petition of Dave Welch and John Welch, defendants in said cause wherein, W. P. Bennett is plaintiff; filed in said court against the said W. E. Wishom et al, defendants and alleging in substance as follows: That heretofore to-wit, on the — day of January 1915, plaintiff herein seqüestrated the following described personal property: One red mare mule 15½ hands high, 4 years old; also 1 brown mare mule 4 years old 15½ hands high, being the same mules described in plaintiff's original petition and upon which he held a valid and subsisting mortgage lien, from the possession of one Calvin Nix and the said Calvin Nix by his answer made Dave Welch and John Welch defendants in the above styled and numbered cause who deny that said mules are the same property described in plaintiff's petition and affidavit filed herein and say that the same is not the property that the plaintiff claims to have a chattel mortgage against. That they purchased the same from E. L. LeCompte on or about the — day of November A. D. 1914, and paid him a valuable consideration therefor, and that they are bonafide purchasers of the same, having purchased without notice and in good faith and they pray that the said E. L. LeCompte whose residence is unknown be made a party hereto. And that the said E. L. LeCompte be cited by publication to answer herein, and of this they pray judgment of the court that if the plaintiff is awarded judgment for a foreclosure of his alleged lien on the mules taken by the writ of sequestration herein and that the defendant Calvin Nix be allowed judgment over and against them that they have judgment over and against the said E. L. LeCompte for the said sum of their damages herein, and for such other and further relief, in law and in equity, they may be justly entitled to by virtue hereof, etc.

Herein fail not, but have you then and there before said court this writ with your return thereor, showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and the seal of said court, in Paris, Texas, this the 28th day of August, A. D. 1917. Attest: Ben Carnahan, clerk county court, Lamar county, Texas. By W. H. Chastain, deputy.

Personal

Dr. J. B. Chapman and son Max Chapman, left yesterday afternoon for Washington, D. C., on a business trip.

John Hubbard, a merchant of Sweetwater, is making a short visit to his parents on the way home from the St. Louis and Chicago markets.

W. A. Martin returned Tuesday night from the Colorado resorts. He made a short stop at Clarendon on the way home to visit Mr. and Mrs. Will H. Martin.

Miss Helen O'Connor, stenographer in Geo. H. Bennett's office at the Frisco-Santa Fe freight depot, has resigned and will leave with her mother for Colorado for the benefit of the latter's health.

Misses Gladys McMurry and Annie Finch are guests of Misses Thelma and Alma Richey.

John Dunseth will leave today for Lexington, Va., to attend the Virginia Military Institute.

Mrs. Jack Barry has returned from Galveston. Her mother, Mrs. Humphreys, who accompanied her there, will remain for the rest of the summer.

Prof. T. P. Walker of Blardstown left yesterday afternoon for Coleman City, wher he will teach school this year.

S. H. Morgan of Savanah, Ok., is visiting his son at Higt.

Mrs. L. G. Lee and baby returned from Dallas last night,

Mr. and Mrs. V. B. Hayes and son of Durant, Ok., and Mrs. J. W. Pender and two sons of Denton are visiting Capt. and Mrs. J. W. Hardison.

A. M. Haraway and family are back from Mineral Wells.

Mrs. E. F. Bray is up from Dallas on a visit to her sisters.

Mrs. Pete Lenoir of DeKalb is visiting her sisters, Mrs. Tobe Ingram and Mrs. J. C. Adcock.

O. S. Perfect went to Dallas yesterday on a business trip.

S. E. Green, president of Wesley College at Greenville, spent a short while in Paris yesterday.

B. V. Halbert of West Point, Miss., was among last night's arrivals in Paris.

B. A. McKinney and wife and R. L. Murry of Colbert, Ok., were in Paris last night.

Mrs. W. M. Fooshee of Mt. Pleasant was in Paris yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Sands of Pawhuska, Ok., were in Paris last night.

Miss Grace Grubbs of Ft. Smith is visiting Miss Vivian Lamkin.

Harry Joiner of Hillsboro was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Andrews yesterday.

Mrs. Florence Rhea and Mrs. Chas. Heard and daughter, Elizabeth, of McKinney are visiting Mrs. Ben W. Rhine 110 Pine Bluff street.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Ferguson have gone to Eureka Springs and Mineral Wells.

G. C. Baughn of Deport returned yesterday from a visit to his old home in Tennessee. He was accompanied back by Mr. and Mrs. D. S. Sumner of Louray, Tenn., who are visiting at the home of M. H. Baughn in Paris. Mrs. Sumner is a niece of G. C. Baughn and this is her first trip to Texas.

COMMITTEE WILL SECURE SPECIAL TRAIN

President Henry P. Mayer of the Chamber of Commerce has secured the extremely low rate of $1.50 for the round trip to Greenville next Tuesday to attend the opening of the Hunt County Fair and also named a committee composed of L. W. Dawley, Walter N. Munroe and E. C. Weber, to present the matter to the citizens of Paris and secure a representative number to make the trip.

This trip will furnish to the citizens of Paris an excellent "Get-together" outing and will also benefit the Lamar County Fair by inviting the people of Greenville to return the visit Tuesday, September the 11th, the opening day of the Paris fair.

Since the announement yesterday morning several inquiries have been received at the Chamber of Commerce regarding the trip, and there seems to be considerable amount of advance interest manifestd.

Information and tickts may be had by phoning the Chamber of Commerce or by seeing the members of the committee.

Strictly For Cash.

On account of the heavy advance in all kinds of blacksmiths' materials, and in order to keep from advancing on our prices for our labor, we will after Sept. 1, 1917, work strictly for cash. We take this method of notifying our friends and patrons of the change.

W. E. Hogue Mfg. Co.,
R. H. Capers,
J. C. Moore,
O. B. Thrasher,
L. P. Brown & Son,
Swain & Elkins.

GERMANS SENTENCE BELGIAN BURGOMASTER TO DEATH

Amsterdam, Aug. 28 (Delayed).—The burgomaster of Hamont, province of Limbourg, Belgium, has been sentenced to death by the German authorities on a charge of helping Belgians to escape into Holland. The prior of the Hamont monastery, and Prof. Ballings of Hamont have been sentenced to life imprisonment on the same charge, according to the Echo Belge.

Madame Errera, wife of the director of the University of Brussels, the dispatch adds, has been arrested by the Germans on a charge of espionage. She is also accused of having forged identification cards.

Have us put a bumper on your car and see how much it really adds to its appearance.

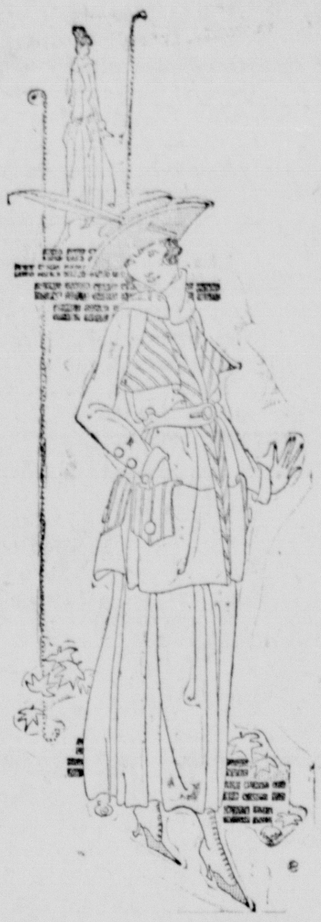
R. D. Sterne Co.

GREEN'S AUGUST FLOWER

Has been used for all ailments that are caused by a disordered stomach and inactive liver, such as sick headache, constipation, sour stomach, nervous indigestion, fermentation of food, palpitation of the heart caused by gases in the stomach. August Flower is a gentle laxative, regulates digestion both in stomach and intestines, cleans and sweetens the stomach and alimentary canal, stimulates the liver to secrete the bile and impurities from the blood. 25 and 75 cent bottles. Sold by R. J. Murphy.

Crook-Record Co.

GREEN TRADING STAMPS WITH CASH SALES



New Styles In the Suits For Fall Wear

Many of them have jackets that are only sufficiently long enough to reach to a little above the knees; many others to a little below. Some, however, are of uneven lengths being shorter in the front than at the sides and back. The skirts are designed to conform to them, being simple instead of elaborate in design in order to offset the cumberousness which elaborateness would encounter when worn with the long coats. In the larger sizes then have a tendency to outline the figure; in the smaller loose straight line effects predominate. Materials most popularly used are velours, broadcloths, serges, etc. The smartest of the earliest styles we are now showing. Come see them.

The Accepted Model Dresses For the New Season

Common sense with pleasing taste are combined to a rare degree by the most popular designers in the new Fall Dresses for women. For street, afternoon and evening wear the popular straight line silhouette will dominate.

Variety is given the new gowns by introducing many forms of drapery which is so arranged that the straight line of the silhouette is still retained. New pleasing effects, panel draperies, choker collars and set-in sleeves—but we couldn't begin to tell you all. You must come and see them to fully appreciate the exquisite taste and charm these dresses possess. Note the most reasonable prices, too.

Wednesday Is Red Letter Stamp Day.

SANITARY NOTICE

People who have not paid their sanitary bills for the third quarter, beginning in July, had better do so, as arrests are being made as fast as the bills are turned in to us. Thirty were made yesterday and if you would save trouble and costs you had best comply with the law.

All weeds on all premises and in front of premises must be cut at once. This is fair warning.

John Howerton,
City Marshal.

Watch for the red wagon. eW aim for it to mean much to the automobilists of this vicinity. With it we will bring our store and service right to your very door, or if you have trouble within five miles of our place of business we will assist you in any way possible—all free. Don't hesitate to call us. Phone 1138.

R. D. Sterne Co.

MONEY IN BUNCHES

Have just returned from a three weeks vacation and have loads of money to loan on farm and city property, allowing the lowest rate of interest and the best options ever offered in Lamar county. Call and see me.

P. J. PIERCE,
Fifth Floor First Natl. Bank Bldg.

Men, our illustrated catalogue explains how we teach the barber trade in a few weeks, mailed free. Moler Barber College, Dallas, Texas.

Extra auto chairs for grown-ups and side door seats for children. We have them. Phone 1138.

R. D. Sterne Co.

Sanitary Fines

Those who have neglected to pay their Sanitary Bills for Third Quarter, July 1st, will be prosecuted and have to pay Bill, Fine and Costs. Complaints are now being made.

Have you paid yours?

John Howerton, City Marshal.

Seat covers are to advance soon. We advise you to buy now. See the samples we have and give us your order.

52 Lamar Ave. R. D. Sterne Co.

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Then YOUR HOME
Your Photograph for Those Who Love You
STEINHEIMER STUDIO
"The Photographer in Your Town"

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Cheap at the Price
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Luther Dotson

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Call 1600, that gets J. R. Millsap, Real Estate & Loans, who wants to handle your property. Call and see me at office 613 First National Bank building.

Old reliable Peacemaker Flour is back on the market.

Pete Humphries Co.

Hutchison Shoe Store

CLOSING OUT SALE

On low shoes and pumps only lasts a few days longer. We have some good sizes. Now is your opportunity to buy good, cheap, low shoes at about One-Half price.

HUTCHISON SHOE STORE

10 N. Side Plaza.

When the Skin Seems Ablaze With Itching and Burning

There's just one thing to do.

If your skin seems ablaze with the fiery burning and itching of Eczema, real and lasting relief can only come from treatment that goes below the surface—that reaches down to the very source of the trouble. So-called skin-diseases come from a disordered condition of the blood, and the proper treatment is through the blood.

Search far and near, and you cannot find a blood remedy that approaches S. S. S. for real efficiency. It has been on the market for fifty years, during which time it has been giving uniform satisfaction for all manner of blood disorders. If you want prompt and lasting relief, you can rely upon S. S. S. For expert advice as to the treatment of your own individual case, write to-day to Chief Medical Adviser, Swift Specific Co., Dept. C Atlanta, Ga.

PLAN NEW BALKAN STATE OF SOUTHERN SLAV FOLK

Corfu, Island of Corfu, Aug. 1 (By Mail.)—The premier and minister of foreign affairs, the Venerable Nickola Pachitch, today summed up for the Associated Press the main features of the proposed new nation of the southern Slav which is to unite under one flag and king, a self-governing population of some 14,000,000.

This, in effect, is the appearance of a new state in the sisterhood of nations. And it is no dream of enthusiasts, for it is the careful work of all the political leaders of the sister Slav nations and has besides the powerful support of the entente allies. M. Pachitch had before him the formal pronouncement of this and stated a new declaration of independence, which has been agreed on after lengthy council between the various ministers, the president of the Serbian parliament, the king and regent, now at Saloniki, and all the other elements affected.

M. Pachitch first took a large map of the Balkans and pointed ou the sweep of territory included in the Slav kingdom. He drew a large circle to include Serbia, Montenegro, Bosnia, Herzegovina, Dalmatia, Croatia, Slavonia and the eastern part of Istria. These together make an imposing area—double or triple the size of Spain or any of the secondary powers of Europe, in area and population and approaching some of the great powers.

Would Be Sea Power.

It would be a great sea power as well, and the premier pointed to the long sea front on the Adriatic giving access thence to the Mediterranean, the Atlantic and the commerce of the world.

"Here we propose to establish a united Slav nation," M. Pachitch went on, "with a government having these essential points: A monarchy based on democracy and the right of the people to be consulted; with a constitutional system, a parliament and a republican ministry. Elections will be by universal, equal and direct suffrage with secret ballot. All titles of nobility will be abolished. The apparent form of a monarchy in deference to tradition and in recognition of the eminent service of the Karageorgevitch dynasty which will be at the head of the new state, will remain.

"Complete freedom of religion will be guaranteed to Greek orthodox, Roman Catholic and Mussulman alike While there will be one flag and one king for the united nation yet each state, Croatia, Serbia, Dalmatia, etc., will be represented and self-governing on local affairs much as the states of the United States."

The habit of "puting it off" has caused the loss of many lives. A dose of Prickly Ash Bitters at the first sign of indigestion, constipation and kidney trouble wards off sickness and save money. R. J. Murphy, special agent.

AMERICAN AIRMAN SAVES COMRADE'S LIFE

Somewhere on the French front, Sunday, Aug. 26.—Lieut. Raoul Lufbery of the Lafayette escadrille saved the life of his colleague, Sergeant Robert Soubiran, of South Boston, today when Soubiran was suddenly atacked by four German machines of the Albatross type while he was flying at a low altitude.

The German machines were over Soubiran attempting to down him when Lufbery, seeing his companion's plight, darted at the enemy aviators, scattering them and allowing Soubiran toescape.

For Sale

Twenty, one-year-old Buff Orpington hens. Prize winning strain, $1.00 each. Phone 1486. R. P. Shuler.

News Ads Are Result Getters

BUY A FARM

53 Acres choice black land, 2 miles out, on pike road, in good state of cultivation, new six-room house, and other improvements.....

105 Acres good black land, well improved, 2 miles out, on pike .....

158 Acres, 2 miles out, on pike, two good sets of improvements and a fine farm generally.....

200 Acres, 2½ miles out, on pike, smooth, clean and high grade .....

243 Acres, 4½ miles out, ½ mile from pike, a fine farm, well improved and a great bargain

400 Acres good black land, 3 miles out, on pike, well improved and a fine location.....

We have many other choice black land farms as well as sandy land farms, at prices unequaled in any other part of the state.

Will not quote prices as they are advancing too rapidly.
WIRE, PHONE OR COME

The Allen Land Co.

East Side of Depot St. **CLARKSVILLE, TEXAS**

Chesterfield CIGARETTES

of IMPORTED *and* DOMESTIC *tobaccos—Blended*

"Satisfy?" Yes!
Yet they're Mild!

Sure as you're a foot high. Sounds strange, because you never before smoked a *mild* cigarette that did *that*.

Yes, Chesterfields "reach home," they *let you know you are smoking* —they *"Satisfy"*!

Still, they're Mild!

A *new blend* of pure, natural Imported and Domestic tobaccos—that's the answer. And the blend can't be copied.

Make Chesterfields your next buy.

Liggett & Myers Tobacco Co.

Wrapped in glassine paper—keeps them fresh.

20 for 10¢

They "Satisfy"!— and yet they're Mild!

BAIN WAGONS

Get aBAIN if you need a wagon, and have the best that is possible in wagon CONSTRUCTION.

OWN A BAIN AND BE CONVINCED

Paris Hdw. Co.

52 Bonham St. **E. R. SMITH, President**

The Man with money-and his wife-put their money in the Bank where it is safe from fire, burglars and their own temptation to spend it.

Here is a picture of a young couple who are doing the right thing—they are saving their money instead of wasting it. Some day they can buy a home or a business with that money and be independent.

EVERY young couple can save a PART of their income. The way to do so is simply not to have so much "out-go."

Put YOUR money in OUR bank.

First State Bank

Notice

Paris, Tex., Aug. 24, 1917.

Pursuant to the authority vested in me by virtue of a resolution passed by the City Council of the City of Paris on the 24th day of August 1917, and the powers vested in me by the said Charter, I hereby order an election to be held in the city of Paris by the qualified voters of the said city between the hours of 8:00 o'clock a. m. and 6:00 o'clock p. m. on the 25th day of September, 1917, for the purpose of electing a City Attorney for the city of Paris to fill the unexpired term of George P. Blackburn resigned.

The polling places and presiding officers for said election shall be as follows:

Ward One to be held at City Hall, E. A. Barnes, presiding officer.

Ward 2 at Johnson building, Grand Ave., J. R. Justiss presiding officer.

Ward Three at Court House, J. E. Bobo, presiding officer.

Ward Four to be held at Lamar Motor Company building, Lamar Ave., J. W. Webb, presiding officer.

All citizens of Paris qualified to vote for members of the state legislature and who have prior to this election resided in the county for six months and for thirty days in the ward in which they offer to vote are qualified to vote in this election.

Given under my hand and seal of the City of Paris affixed this the 24th day of August, A. D., 1917.

Ed H. McCuistion,
Mayor of City of Paris.

Attest:
Judd W. Wright, City Secretary.

We handle hand and motor driven horns; sell oils, soap and grease in any quantity; put distilled water in your battery and test it free. Stop and get a drink of water for yourself or car. Service is our motto and the response we are getting makes us think it is appreciated.

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Work figured in any part of the county. Satisfaction guaranteed on every job. Phone 1994M.

J. W. CARAWAY

PEOPLE'S COUNCIL CAN NOT MEET IN MINNESOTA

Peoples Council 5 6

St. Paul, Minn., Aug. 28.—Governof J. A. Burnquist late today issued a proclamation prohibiting the people's Council of America for Democracy and Peace from holding their proposed meeting in Mineapolis or elsewhere in Minesota.

The Governor's action followed a report from Sheriff Otto Langum of Henepin county, in which the sheriff stated that after making a thorough investigation he believed the proposed meeting would result in bloodshed, rioting and loss of life. In his proclamation the governor added his conviction that the meeting could only aid and abet the enemies of the Ued States.

PROMPT RESPONSE TO RED CROSS NEED

Chairman Long's statement in The News yesterday to the people of Paris, setting forth the needs of the Red Cross brought prompt response from fifteen people, each of whom pledge themselves to give $5.00 per month for at least one year. Eighty-five more are wanted and needed.

When you finish reading this, telephone or call on Treasurer Neville Brooks, Chairman Sam Long or the Red Cross headquarters and give authority to add your name to this list. The need is insistent and pressing. Let your subscription start today.

Following are the subscribers to this fund of mercy:

Hardin Ragland.
Ralph Provine.
S. B. M. Long.
A. P. Park.
J. J. Culbertson.
R. J. Murphy.
Will A. Collins.
W. F. Dulaney.
J. Sheb Williams.
Henry P. Mayer.
Neville Brooks.
Mrs. J. H. Hancock.
E. B. Norment.
Dr. L. P. McCuistion.
T. J. Record.

If you feel bad; if you are "blue," tired and discouraged, without apparent reason, you need Prickly Ash Bitters, the system purifier. It restores action in the torpid liver, cleanses the stomach, helps digestion, drives out gas and fermented matter in the bowels, and brings back fine feeling of strength, vim and cheerfulness which belongs only to perfect health. R. J. Murphy, special agent.

NOTICE TO FARMERS WHO WANT HANDS

It is now apparently impossible for the people who live in Lamar county to gather promptly and without waste the crops they have produced. Other sections of the state are by no means so fortunate, in fact in many localities there is real and widespread distress. The present occasion is preeminently one where our need will in a very practical way relieve the distress and necessities of our neighbors and fellow-citizens. The drouth stricken centers need work and we need their service.

If the farmers of Lamar county who need extra help this fall will confer with me, I will gladly aid them in getting into communication with those who are very anxious for employment.

This service is being rendered at the request of the State Council of Defense through the Agricultural Department. Blanks may be had at the Mayor's office, and my personal service also when needed or necessary without charge.

Ed H. McCuistion.

ITALIAN FLYER SETS NEW WORLD MARK

Paris, Aug. 29.—Captain Guilio Laureami, an Italian aviator, has established a new world's long distance flying record according to a Milan dispatch to the Temps. The Italian flew from Turin to Naples and return without stopping, a distance of 920 miles.

Oliver bedders and stalk cutters, best on earth.

Marchbanks & Dohoney.

RESULTS OF BALL GAMES YESTERDAY

Western Association

At Okla. City 5, Muskogee 8.
At Tulsa 3, Denison 5.
At McAlester 2, Ardmore 0.
At Ft. Smith-Sherman; rain.

Texas League

At Dallas 3-5, Houston 0-4.
At Shreveport 0, Ft. Worth 2.
At Waco 3, San Antonio 7.

American League

At Cleveland 1, Detroit 15.
At Chicago 6-11, St. Louis 0-1.
Only 2 games scheduled.

National League

At Philadelphia 3, St. Louis 5.
At Brooklyn 2, Chicago 1.
At Boston 4, Cincinnati 5.
At New York 6, Pittsburg 5.

Old reliable Peacemaker Flour is back on the market.

Pete Humpnries Co.

EASIER NOW TO COMPEL SPAIN TO BE NEUTRAL

London, Aug. 29.—America's entrance into the war has greatly simplified England's difficulty in dealing with the pro-German intrigues in Spain.

The most effective weapon England has for prusuading the Spanish to deal firmly with the anti-ally forces is the blockade. By threatening to cut off needed supplies such as coal and foodstuffs, England has been able to partly check the hostile movement.

But Spain's strength and England's weakness in the matter before America's entrance has been due to the fact that Spain was always in a position to defy the latter and draw her needed imports from the United States. Spain, not being contiguous to Germany and therefore unable to re-export any American imports to the Central Powers, England realized she would have no valid excuse for interfering with Spanish-American trade.

Now, however, with a common Anglo-American blockade policy, the allies are on much surer ground and are not expecting any further serious difficulty with Spain regarding the harboring of U-boats, submarine bases and Teutonic propaganda.

WILL STOP MAKING WHISKY ON SEPT. 8

Peoria, Ill., Aug. 29.—Although distillers of Peoria and Pekin, Ill., are planning to suspend amnufacture of whisky on Sept. 8, they will continue to produce alcohol in limited quantities to be used in the making of powder and for medicinal purposes.

Increased production of spirits withi nthe last few months have given the distillers a vast store, which will supply the normal demand for liquor for more than two years. Distillery warehouses, together with other warehouses of the city, are filled to capacity with stored goods.

Several of the large plants here have huge contracts with the allied governments for alcohol to be used in the making of ammunition, and they expect to continue supplying the product to them.

A prominent Peoria distiller predicted that the backward spring, late corn, an early frost, acres of corn undeveloped and unfit for food, a demand for a market for this grain might bring about an enactment by Congress next winter of an amendment to the food bill permitting distillers to resume manufacture of distilled spirits.

Corn unsuited for human consumption and even for animal food is utilized chiefly in the manufacture of spirits. In normal years the supply of no-grade corn is practically all taken by the distileries.

Distilleries have been working 24 hours a day with extra large forces for the last six months manufacturing whisky. Additions built to the plants for the manufacture of alcohol for the allies are used and more than 250,000 bushels of corn have been taken daily by them.

WINDSHIELD MIRRORS

Equip your car with a Windshield Mirror and prevent accidents by seeing who is behind you when you make a turn.

W. F. DULANEY & SONS.

BRECKENRIDGE NOW ON REGENTS BOARD

Austin, Aug. 28.—Acting Governor W. P. Hobby announced today the appointment of Col. George W. Breckenridge, millionaire banker and philanthropist of San Antonio, to be a member of the board of regents of the University of Texas, to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Judge J. M. Mathis of Brenham. Col. Breckenridge is a former regent of the university.

Gov. Hobby sent a message to the senate today asking for the confirmation of the appointment.

Officially Accepts Resignation

Austin, Aug. 28.—Acting Governor Hobby today officially accepted the resignation of Judge J. H. Mathis of Brenham as a member of the board of regents of the University of Texas. Judge Mathis, it appears, tenedred his resignation some time ago to Mr. Ferguson, but it develops the resignation was not filed in the secretary of state department and there was some question as to whether it had been accepted by the governor. Judge Mathis today wired his resignation to Governor Hobby and it was accepted.

SOCIETY NOTE

The Oklahoma City Times of last Saturday has this item of interest to Paris people:

An announcement of interest to the many friends in Oklahoma City is that of the marriage of Mr. E. J. Welsh Walker of Milwaukee to Miss Catherin McMillan of Fond du Lac, Wis., which took place yesterday in Fond du Lac. The ceremony was solemnized at 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon in St. Paul's cathedral by the Right Rev. Reginald H. Weller, assisted by the Very Rev. Bernard Iddings Bell. Only relatives and intimate friends were present. The marriage came as a surprise. The date was advanced on account of Mr. Walker's immediate army assignment, which it is understood will take hi mto France almost at once. Mrs. Walker is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. V. McMillan of Fond du Lac, the former one of the prominent furniture manufacturers of that city where Mrs. Walker has been one of the most popular girls in society.

She is a gradute of Gordon hall, a fashionable boarding school of that city and of the Loring Schol of Music in Chicago, and is a talented pianiste.

Mr. Walker is the only son of Dr. and Mrs. Robert R. Walker of 1412 West Thirty-Fourth street, and has made his home in Milwaukee since his graduation from the University of Wisconsin three years ogo. He was one of the most popular and beloved of his "crowd" while a resident of Oklahoma City. He received his commission as first lieutenant at Fort Sheridan just recently. Mr. and Mrs. Walker left last night for New York for a few days' stay there.

Doctor Walker left this afternoon to join Mr. and Mrs. Walker in New York for a short visit.

For Oliver implements see
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FIRING SQUAD'S VICTIM EXECUTED BY MISTAKE

Paris, France, Aug. 28.—One of the saddest stories of the war, telling of the martyrdom of a brave French bombadier, Eugene Bouret, who by a tragic error was condemned for cowardice before the enemy and suffered the extreme penalty, is told by M. De Maiziere, a war correspondent.

On Aug. 29, 1914, Bouret was at his post when a German shell hit his battery and hurled him a distance of 10 meters, half-blinded and unconscious. The field hospital surgeon reported him suffering from nervous derangement endangering his reason.

Wanders Away from Camp.

Half demented he escaped from the hospital and wandered into the country, where a detachment of Chasseurs found him and handed him over to the military as a deserter.

Despite his incoherent protests, which they considered guilty simulation, on Sept. 9 Bombadier Bouret appeared before a rude, improvised court martial such as are now not existent.

Without proof and without witnesses, Bouret was condemned to death for abandoning his post before the enemy and shot the same evening.

Is Exhonorated at Last.

Now after three years the dead poilu's name is rehabilated and justice has made tardy amends for the wrong committed. When Bouret's colonel heard of his fate, he said: "It is impossible. I am sure of my men. None would have abandoned the post."

An inquiry which the colonel instituted has now cleared the dead man's name. A special decree has proclaimed Bouret's innocente and deals severely with those responsible for his court martial.

Notice

Notice is hereby given that application will be made by Belew Livery and Transfer Co. to the City Council of Paris, Texas, at its next regular meeting, for a franchise for the use of 50 cubic feet under the sidewalk abutting the property of L. Rees on the north side of Grand avenue for the purpose of installing a gasoline tank, this application being made in compliance with regulations of the said City Council.

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NOTICE TO AUTOISTS

Until state numbers are obtained by auto owners the county number plate must be shown at all times, and must not be covered by a card stating that appilcation has been made for a state number. The law is plain and will be enforced. I hope all interested will govern themselves accordingly.

Respectfully,
John Howerton,
City Marshal of Paris.

If you want your car washed, oiled, greased or polished, phone 1138 for good service quick.

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NOTICE

All persons wno drive automobiles are hereby advised that since the receipt of advice from the Attorney General's office, I have determined to stop some of the reckless driving which has been so prevalent over the city since the Highway law went into effect. I prefer not to make any arrests by the first day of August by which time I will have a copy of the law which enables us to enforce the provision of this law but if there are flagrant violations I will make arrests even before that time. This notice is given with the hope that those who have not equipped their cars as the state law provides will do so without further delay. The law will hereafter be strictly enforced and those who violate it will be required to pay the penalty.

Yours truly,
John Howerton, City Marshal.

PUBLIC NOTICE

I am requested by a committee cooperating with the Council of National Defense to suggest by proclamation or otherwise to the people of this city that the matter of Food Conservation is much more important than the average individual thinks. Few have felt inconvenience of any kind resulting from the world war now in progress but a few more months will bring this important matter to every fireside in American homes.

I am asked to suggest, First: That each family and individual eat one wheatless meal a day.

Second: Eat beef, mutton or pork not more than once a day.

Third: Economize in the use of butter.

Fourth: Cut the daily allowance of sugar in tea, coffee and in other ways.

Fifth: Eat more vegetables, fruits and fish.

Sixth: Urge in the home or the restaurant frequented the necessity of economy.

A sturdy adherence to these suggestions it is believed will mean a very perceptible conservation of food and beneficial results will be observed.

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Definition of A Slacker

Who and what is a slacker?

A slacker is a young man who hurries to the probate court and marries to escape the call of his country.

A slacker is a merchant who hikes prices for the sake of private gain, at the cost of his fellow-countryman in time of war.

A slacker is a manufacturer who tries to hold uq his government.

A slacker is a millionaire who maneuvers around to get his boy exempt from service.

A slacker is a workman who tries to hold up an employer and take advantage of the necesities of his country in time of war.

All these persons are thinking of themselves and their pockets, of their safety, willing to let others make the sacrifices and undergo the dangers for the common qrotection.

The other day President Wilson wrote a leter of congratulation and tribute to Mrs. Florie Wyman of Fitchburg, Mass., a widow, five of whose sons, not waiting for the draft, volunteered and will go out to fight for the world's liberties. A widow who renders such a contribution to her country puts to shame the cowardly male whiner trying to get an easy berth or trying to make profit out of war or to escape the perils of war for himself and his sons.—Capper's Weekly.

SWEDES STIRRED UP; GERMANS TAX ALL COAL SHIPMENTS

Stokholm, Aug. 29.—Swedish industrial and business circles are stirred over an export tax of twenty-five groner a ton which Germany has put on all coal for shipment to Sweden. Germany also has imposed a tax on parcel post payable after August 15th.

In some circles it is urged that Sweden retaliate by putting a tax on Swedish products, especially iron ore, but nothing has yet been decided.

Export licenses for wood pulp for England, France and Italy have been extended greatly in the last two weeks. This is taken here as a sign of better commercial relations between Sweden and the entente powers.

See u s for the Miller guaranteed tires. Cost no more than the ordinary kind. Will have them Monday.
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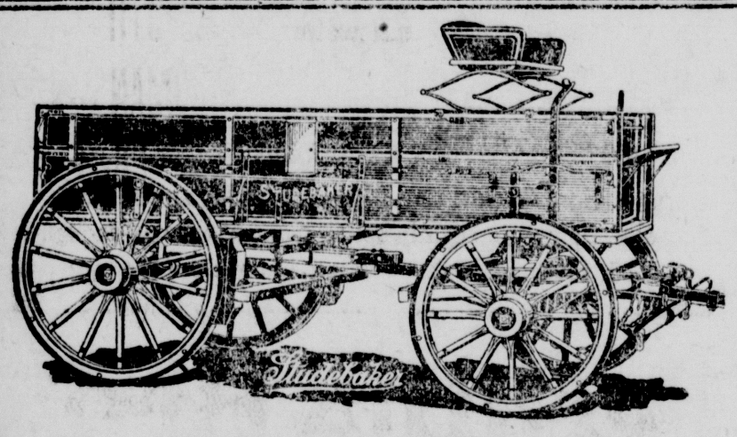

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LAMAR COUNTY FAIR OPENS SEPTEMBER 11

The sixth annual Lamar County Fair opens at Paris, Texas, Tuesday, September 11th, for five days of entertainment, exhibition, education and amusement.

Without a doubt the Lamar County Fair of this year will eclipse all former efforts of the association, since this section is enjoying the finest crop condition they have had for years. Since the birth of the fair six years ago there has been a continual improvement in the grade of cattle, hogs and poultry and these exhibits promise to be the finest in the history of the fair this year.

The Lamar County Fair is one of the most fortunate count fairs in Texas insofar as local support and co-operation goes to make a successful fair. The business firms of Paris have made it possible for the Lamar County Fair to issue the handsomest catalogue gotten out by any fair in the south. Not only this but the commercial booths maintained by the merchants of Paris at the Lamar County Fair are a credit to any fair and a compliment to the business men of any city.

The territory for patronage of the Lamar County Fair extends from Texarkana to Sherman, across Northeast Texas, and from Tyler on the south to Fort Smith, Ark., on the north, and it is because of this patronage and this support that the Lamar County Fair is enabled to give such attractions, and such high and varied premiums and purses as are given by them. It takes such support to make such a fair and it takes such high class attractions, exhibits, amusement and races to attract such a patronage. The high standard of the Lamar County Fair is being raised higher every year, new features and new departments are continually being added. The head liners for the 1917 fair are: Agriculture exhibits, commercial exhibits, farm machinery and implements, farm tractor demonstration, automobile show, auto races, live stock exhibits, horse races, bench show, balloon ascension, textile and art exhibits, culinary exhibits, poultry exhibits, bees and honey exhibits, Strands Military Band, Tom W. Allen's Midway Shows.

What else could be incorporated in a fair that would be interesting to the public?

The railroads have recognized the importance of the Lamar County Fair by granting special rates from all points in Northeast Texas and the citizenship of this section is cordially invited and urged to visit Paris one or all days of the fair.

Must Wear Tags

Owners of dogs are notified that all dogs found on the streets without tage will be impounded. Tags are on sale at the collector's office and must be attached to the dog's collar, as the officers have no other means of knowing that the tax has been paid, and the law requires the tag to be worn.

Do not put the tag in your pocket or leave it at home—put it on the dog.

JOHN HOWERTON,
City Marshal.

TIES TOWEL AROUND NECK AND TO BED; STRANGLES TO DEATH

Dallas, Aug. 29.—With a towel tied around his neck and attached to the head of his bed, Nathan Cahn, aged 50 years, strangled to death Tuesday afternoon at his home, 1301 Royal street. He left no note that would explain the motive for his act. The body was discovered about 6:30 o'clock Tuesday evening by his sister-in-law.

Mrs. W. T. Beard, who lives at 1207 Royal street, told the police officers who conducted the investigation that she passed by the Cahn home about 6:30 o'clock in the afternoon and saw the body through the window, but thought at the time that Mr. Cahn had been sitting on the bed and had fallen asleep.

Mr. Cahn, who had been a resident of Dallas for a number of years, was employed at the Perkins Dry Goods Company. His employers stated this morning that although the man appeared to be in the best of health he had not been to work for several days. His wife had been out of town for some time.

Old reliable Peacemaker Flour is back on the market.

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News Ads Are Result Getters

POINTED QUESTIONS ON PEACE ARE ASKED OF MICHAELIS

Copenhagen, Aug. 29.—Attacks upon Imperial Chancellor Michaelis continue and Prof. Hans Delbrueck now asks the chancellor the embarrassing question concerning peace. In the Prussian year book, Prof. Delbrueck inquires of Dr. Michaelis why, if he really accepts the reichstag resolutions as the basis of his policy, he neglects to answer the inquiry made July 26 in the English house of commons by former Premier Asquith regarding Germany's readiness to evacuate and restore Belgium.

Prof. Delbrueck who openly questions the good faith of the chancellor in professing to agree with the terms of the resolution, asks whether his silence in the face of Mr. Asquith's summons does not show that those are right who insist that Dr. Michaelis takes another standpoint from that contained in the resolution.

"If the German government is ready to conclude a peace upon the basis of no annexations and no indemnities," asks the professor, "why all this unprecendented apparatus of a joint committee of the reichstag and bundesrath to assist the chancellor in drawing up a simple answer to the pope's proposal of peace on that basis?"

"The truth is," says Prof. Delbrueck, "that Dr. Michaelis does not enjoy the confidence of the reichstag." He could not possibly do so, the writer says, after last week's event in the reichstag's main committee and his tacit submission to the assertion that he is in reality opposed to the resolution. Neither the German nation nor the world knows what the chancellor's policy is.

The reichstag's resolution, Prof. Delbrueck concludes, would have had a different effect if it was not believed abroad that the reichstag is powerless and that the chancelfor is double-tongued.

In his speech in the house of commons on July 26, former Premier Asquith asked if Germany was prepared to evacuate Belgium, to make reparation and to restore independence to Belgium.

Heartburn after a hearty meal means weakness in the digestive organs. Prickly Ash Bitters gives them strength, tones up the stomach and purifies the bowels. R. J. Murphy, special agent.

IMPEACHMENT TRIAL STARTS AT CAPITAL

Austin, Aug. 29.—Governor Jas. E. Ferguson today began his final fight to resist impeachment.

In the senate, at 10 a. m., the twenty-one charges contained in the bill of impeachment adopted by the house last Friday afternoon were called up for consideration.

Just how much the present trial will cover ground attained in the house investigation no one knows. That there will be considerable repetition is certain, but on the other hand there have been reports of new witnesses to be examined and new evidence to be developed.

Eighteen actual working days were consumed in the investigation by the house committee of the whole. There is hope that more speed will be made by the senate, but it appears certain that there will be another session called at the end of the present one, which opened August 1, to continue thirty days.

Series of Revivals to Begin

Rev. R. P. Shuler has announced a series of revival meetings for Paris beginning Friday night of the present week, at which time he will open up in Bonham Street Methodist church for a ten day's meeting. Prof. Lauris Mallard, a most splendid evangelistic singer of the Presbyterian church, will lead the chorus in these meetings. The second meeting will begin Sept. 16 and will possibly be held in the Centenary church. Mr. Shuler has just closed a ten day's meeting in Snyder, Texas, where there were close to 150 conversions and reclamations.

STRAYED

From Arthur, Texas, last Saturday night a mouse colored mare mule, 7 years old, about 14 hands high, right front knee been broken and is crooked. $5.00 reward for return or information leading to recovery.

Will Duncan, Arthur, Texas.

SHIPWORKERS ON PACIFIC COAST THREATEN STRIKE

San Francisco, Aug. 29.—Whether there is to be a general strike of about 40,000 shipbuilders employed at Pacific coast ports is to be determined apparently by the international unions with which the coast locals are affiliated. More than 10,000 at Seattle have voted in favor of a strike for increased wages and better working conditions. At Portland 3,000 have voted to leave the question in the hands of union headuarters and in San Francisco 25,000 have considered strike action in active session, no announcement being made of the outcome of their deliberations.

G. Y. Harry, representing the government as a conciliator at Portland, addressed the shipbuilding workers last night saying that the Washington authorities were working to straighten the situation and that he believed a satisfactory adjustment could be made.

Citation by Publication.

The State of Texas, to the Sheriff or any Constable of Lamar county, greeting: You are hereby commanded to summon Jesse Boone, by making publication of this citation once in each week for four consecutive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your county, appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Lamar county, to be holden at the court house thereof, in Paris, Texas, on the 1st Monday in October, A. D. 1917, the same being the 8th day of October A. D. 1917, then and there to answer a petition filed in said court on the 6th day of August A. D. 1917 in a suit numbered on the docket of said court No. 802, wherein Arvella Boone is plaintiff, and Jess Boone is defendant, and said petition alleging that plaintiff resides in Lamar County, Texas, and that she has so resided in county for more than six months and in said state for more than one year, next preceding the filing of his suit. That she and defendant were married on the 28th day of August, 1907, and continued to live together as husband and wife until the 30th day of July, A. D. 1917, when they ceased to live together and have not lived together since. That during their married life she was a kind and devoted wife, but that defendant was cruel and unkind toward her. That without cause or provocation on the part of plaintiff he would curse and abuse her, applying to her vile and indecent epithets. That he struck and beat her with his hands and fists, thereby injuring her and driving her away from their home. That such cruel treatment was of such a nature as to render their further living together as husband and wife insupportable. That during their married life there was born to them two children, who are now in her custody, the said defendant having abandoned them without making any provision for their support and maintenance. That at the time of their separation they had accumulated an estate of the probable value of $1,504.00, one half of which she is justly entitled to. Plaintiff prays that citation issue as the law directs and that on final hearing hereof she have judgment dissolving the bonds of matrimony now existing between them, for a division of said community estate, for costs of suit and special and general relief.

Herein fail not, but have before said court, at its aforesaid next regular term, this writ with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Witness, Walter Deweese, clerk of the District Court of Lamar county.

Given under my hand and the seal of said court, at office in Paris, Texas, this the 29th day of August, A. D. 1917. Walter Deweese, clerk District Court, Lamar county. By O. B. Fisher, deputy.

DIDN'T KNOW U. S. WAS IN THE WAR

San Antonio, Tex., Aug. 29.—He "didn't know that the United States was at war with Germany," is the plea offered by Tom Witt, a Coke county sheep herder, when he was arrested a day or two ago for failing to register for military service on June 5, and brought here by Sheriff L. J. Coward of that county.

Formal complaint was filed against him before United States Commissioner Jesse Couch in the federal district. Bond in the sum of $500 was granted, which he made and was released. Witt was accompanied to San Antonio by his wife.

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We also have a store house for rent on East Tudor street, and a 4-room negro house in West Paris, and two new 4-room bungalows just completed in East Paris, which we will rent to desirable white tenant.

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Watch the grocery stores, confectioneries, restaurants, soda fountains and other places where foods are sold, and see if they show the Banner given to all who score 85 per cent or better. Prudence would lead you to buy from the place that has proof of its sanitary arrangements.

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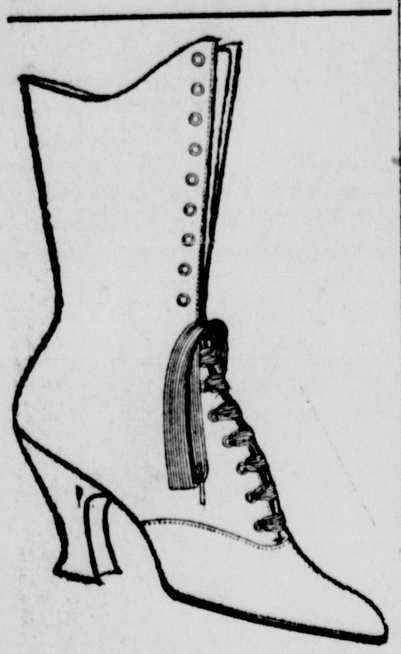

New Fall Boots

We again direct your attention to the many smart styles we are now showing in Women's Boots for the new Fall season.

All the best selections from the Wright & Peters Fall line, including the most recent novelties, are to be had here.

Black Boots in all leathers, Tan Boots, Mahogany Brown Boots and all the very effective combinations of leathers, are here at prices ranging from $3.00 to $12.50.

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SOUND ADVICE

The people of today are inflicting grave injury upon their eyesight because they do not understand it until too late. Neglect is robbing many persons of good vision. Eyesight changes constantly but so slowly that it is not until the harm is done that suspicion is aroused. Only a few minutes' time spent in my office will determine this and if I recommend glasses I will prove to you why they are necessary.

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SOLDIER INSURANCE WILL BE ADOPTED OVER OPPOSITION

Washington, Aug. 29.—The administration soldiers' and sailors' insurance bill, designed as a substitute in the future for the present pension system, was favorably reported today by a House committee. The principal change made in the bill by the committee was a reduction of the maximum amount of insurance a man may take from $10,000 to $5,000. Chairman Adamson said tonight that the bill would be reported tomorrow and possibly would be passed by the House within a week. He is confident of the passage of the bill but anticipates strenuous opposition from insurance companies and the pension committees of both houses.

The bill would provide an allowance for dependents of men in war service, compensation in case of death or disability, optional insurance of officers and enlisted men and educational and vocational training for honorably discharged men.

MARYLAND WORK LAW HITS RICH CLUB MEN

Baltimore, Mr., Aug. 29.—Wealthy clubmen, retired bankers and profligate sons of doting fathers may soon be seen mending roads, pitching hay or driving a farm truck under the provisions of the compulsory work law of the state of Maryland.

Every able-bodied male between the ages of eighteen and fifty who is unemployed must register unless he is a student or is a regularly employed workman, but now on strike. The state will find work for the registered men.

Few knights of the road have registered. Instead, there is reported a steady and rapid migration of hand-out artists, bound out of this state and into more hospitable parts by the shortest and speediest routes.

Most of those who have registered are the wealthy unemployed. They were asked what work, such as canning, making roads or farming, they would elect.

Charle sBoone, formerly a hard-working Baltimore business man, was the first clubman to register. Of recent years he has made his home at the exclusive Maryland Club. He said he thought handling a plow, a calling of which he was entirely ignorant, might reduce his waist measurement. He knew something about horses, he added, but not the kind that draw plows. He didn't care especially for cannery or road repair work. But if the governor wanted him, concluded Mr. Boone, he'd put in a good ten hours a day and try to beat the young fellows.

F. H. Cameron, retired army captain, said he was awaiting a call to the colors, but it hadn't come yet. Meanwhile he was willing to work on the state roads.

All sorts of interesting information about idlers is coming to the authorities in anonymous letters.

SHOCK AT DEATH BED BRINGS ON ANOTHER DEATH

Colorado, Texas., Aug. 29.—Miss Eula Mae McGuire, the 14-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert McGuire, who had been operated upon on Aug. 26, was sinking and her grandmother, Mrs. E. M. McCreless, was summoned. Upon her arrival in the room, seeing the child dying, gave her such a shock that almost at the same minute breath left them both. Services were held yesterday at Union church. They were both members of the Methodist church. After the services, the remains were laid side by side in the Union cemetery.

Mrs. McCreless is survived by three daughters, two sons and her husband, E. M. McCreless, all of this county. Miss Mae McGuire is survived by her mother and father.

'TENSHUN, HONOR GUARD!

Drill was dispensed with Wednesday evening, on account of the unfitness of the parade ground, due to the heavy rain. Every guardsgirl is expected to be present at the drill ground promptly at 6:30 Saturday evening, however.

ARREST BROOKLYN PITCHER ON CHARGE OF NOT SUPPORTING WIFE

New York, Aug. 29.—Larry R. Cheney a pitcher on the Brooklyn National League club, was arrested here today on a requisition warrant issued at the request of the governor of Florida on a charge of non-support sworn to by Cheney's wife at Orlando, Fla.

According to his attorneys, Cheney recently made a settlement with his wife whereby she was to be paid $10,000 in monthly installments of $300. Cheney's salary is $3600 a year, the attorney said, and he could not meet the payments.

He was released on a writ of habeas corpus and held under $1,500 bail for examination Tuesday. It was said that efforts will be made to settle the matter out of court.

NAME MEN TO LOOK INTO DROUTH-STRICKEN AREA

Snyder, Tex., Aug. 29.—A committee of fifteen to ascertain true conditions in the drouth-stricken territory hereabouts was named late yesterday afternoon at a mass meeting presided over by Judge W. S. Anderson. J. J. Burnett was secretary of the gathering.

A strong sentiment developed in favor of relying upon local people for assistance in preference to asking state aid.

FT. WORTH AIR CAMP WILL BE BUILT AT ONCE

Washington, Aug. 29.—Establishment about Nov. 1 of an American flying school at Fort Worth and where English instructors will assist American officers in preparing American flyers for air service on the western front was announced today by the signal corps.

American students now are under training in the Royal Flying School at Toronto and they are to be transferred to Fort Worth. Four squadrons, with a personnel of 600 men, probably will be under training at the school when it is completed.

The arrangement will follow the practice at other large schools of having several flying areas within easy distance of one another, yet sufficient to give the students plenty of room.

COLLINS' ELECTION AS SENATOR NOW ASSURED

Beaumont, Tex., Aug. 29.—V. A. Collins' election to the state senate from the fourteenth senatorial district to fill the vacancy caused by the withdrawal of Steve King is now a certainty.

With about a half dozen scattering country boxes to hear from, returns of Monday's election show 2,754 votes for Collins and 2,439 for V. E. Middlebrook, his opponent and supporter of Governor Ferguson.

NEGRO RIOTERS WAIT COURT MARTIAL AT EL PASO

El Paso, Aug. 29.—One hundred and forty-two negro soldiers of the 24th Infantry arrived here this afternoon as prisoners under gard from Columbus, New Mexico, and were transferred from a special train to the military stockade at Fort Bliss where they are held awaiting a court martial on charges connected with the rioting and killings at Houston last week.

SINK BELGIAN RELIEF SHIP OFF SPAIN

London, Aug. 29.—The Nerwegian steamer Kongsli from Saint Nazaire, France, for the United States, has been sunk off the Spanish coast according to a Christiania telegram to the Morning Post.

The marine register reports the Kongsli as a Belgian relief ship. She measures 3,663 tons.

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WOMEN FAIL TO MAKE GOOD AS SECTION HANDS

Valparaiso, Ind., Aug. 29—Thirty-four women section hands today are out of a job. The Pennsyvlania let them out after a two months' trial. Donning overalls and taking the place of men, so that they might increase the nation's power for the war, the women workers gained much publicity, but couldn't do the work.

DR. LUCIAN NICHOLSON JOINS FIELD HOSPITAL

Dr. Lucian Nicholson, who did much towards Red Cross organization here last spring, and who volunteered in the medical service, has been assigned to Field Hospital No. 3, now stationed at Fort Bliss, El Paso, to which place he has already reported.

A recent issue of the El Paso Herald gives this brief history of this famous organization, in which Dr. Nicholson's many friends here are quite sure he will make good:

United States army field hospital No. 3 has a record which has made it the envy of every sanitary unit in the United States army. Its record is that it has had more foreign and active service than all other organizations of the sanitary department of the army combined.

Being ordered to the border from Ft. Benjamin Harrison, Ind., during the early Mexican border troubles, it was selected by the late Maj. Gen. Frederick Funston to accompany his expedition to Vera Cruz at the time of the occupation of the Mexican port. It was the only field hospital in the military service to be selected for this duty. The company landed with the other troops at Vera Cruz on April 30, 1914, and immediately established its headquarters in the School for Preparation for the Mexican navy at Vera Cruz. Here the company cared for the wounded marines and sailors, the soldier sick and the refugees and helped the soldiers in policing Vera Cruz and establishing the famous sanitary movement which cleaned up Vera Cruz and freed it from disease.

Withdrawing from Vera Cruz with the Funston expedition, field hospital No. 3 was transferred to Ft. Crockett, Texas. It was encamped there during the hurricane in August, 1915, and in this storm lost nearly all of its tentage and equipment. Despite this fact, the company immediately established a temporary hospital and assisted in the rescue work and in caring for those injured during the disaster.

Field hospital No. 3 came to Ft. Bliss for station Oct. 19, 1915. Soon after its arrival here it won the silver trophy offered to the organization stationed here for the finest appearance on parade. It has won trophies for the splendid condition of its field hospitals. But two cups were offered during this competition among the troops at Ft. Bliss and the field hospital company was winner of one.

Maj. Gen. John J. Pershing selected field hospital No. 3 as the unit to accompany him to Columbus, N. M., and later to Mexico when he took up the bandit chase following Villa's Columbus raid. The organization was transferred from Ft. Bliss to Columbus, N. M., in March, 1916, and from there followed the punitive expedition to Mexico, establishing its headquarters at Colonia Dublan, Gen. Pershing's field base. It remained in service in Mexico until Pershing withdrew his entire expedition last February.

During its Mexican service, the hospital records show that 3212 patients were cared for in the field hospital.

The field hospital company is now preparing for more foreign service and expects orders at any moment to move to France. The hospital company is filled to war strength and is entirely equipped for active field duty. Only recntly it was motorized, making it one of the most modern field hospital companies in the army.

Maj. Theodore Lanson, U. S. medical corps, is in command of field hospital No. 3. Other officers in the organization are Maj. Benjamon O. Thrasher and Capt. Peter McCall Keating. Maj. Thrasher is a member of the medical officers' reserve corps but has been attached to the company for many months. Capt. Keating is a veteran of the European war. He returned only recently after 14 months' duty in field hospital work on the French front. During his service in France he was attached to the American ambulance company.

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